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E. O. 11652: GDS

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SUBJ: DA TEAM SUMMARY

1. SUMMARY OF DA TEAM ACTIVITY BTWN 10 JUN & 16 JUN AS FOLLOWS:

A. EACH DAY AT 0900 HOURS TEAM HAD SHORT (30 MIN) MTG WITH KUWAITI DCSLOG TO SUMMARIZE CASES TO BE DISCUSSED AND SCHED FOR SUBJ MTGS.

B. 10 JUN - 5 HR MTG WITH GOK ARMY DIRECTOR OF REPAIRS. PROVIDED CHARA/ DESC OF EACH VEH PRES CASES AND EXPL ON HOW TO READ CASES.

C. 11 JUN CONTINUED VEH DISCUSSION ON TYPES CONFIG AND REP PARTS SPT.

D. 12 JUN 5- HR DETAILED PRESENTATION ON M60 A1 TANK, INCL FILM, SLIDES, VU- GRAPH AND TECH LITERATURE ON DESC AND CAP. UAE PRESENTED WITH AVAL DATA ON CASE UNCHANGED , HOWEVER, TO CONFORM WITH PREV DLVY COMMITMENTS A SCHED OF DLVY OF 17 EA DEC 73; 17 EA JUNE 74; BALANCE BTWN FEB AND NOV 75  
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WAS GIVEN. ALL QUESTIONS ON TANKS WERE ANSWERED EXCEPT PENETRATION DATA. PENETRATION DATA REC'D ON 13 JUN BUT NOT RELEASED WITH EXPL TO GOK THAT UPON ACCT OF CASE WE WILL THEN PROVIDE DATA. BRIEFING WELL RECEIVED WITH GOOD DISC PERIOD SINCE KUWAITI ARMY OFF HAD SOME KNOWLEDGE OF TANK FROM VISIT TO EUR. HOWEVER MOST QUESTIONS CENTERED ON AOS WHICH WAS NOT AVAILABLE IN EUR AND IS MAJOR FEATURE KUWAITI DESIRED IN ORDER TO EVAL M60 A1 WITH OTHER TANKS.

E. 13 JUN - 4 HR MTG WITH AUTOMOTIVE REPS TO REVIEW THE VEHICLE CASES. GOK DESIRES TO SUSPEND DECISION ON UBB, UBC, UBD AND UBE (MULTI-FUEL VEH) PENDING OUTCOME OF M800 SER VEHICLE BUY. APPEARS GOK READY TO ACPT UAN, UAP, UAQ, UAR, UAS, UAT, UAU, UAV, AND UBA.

F. 14 JUN - SHORT MTG WITH DIRECTOR OF SIGNAL. PRES CASE UAZ WITH REQUEST FOR INFO ON TYPE VEH RADIOS TO BE INSTAL. FIRST INDIC IS LAND ROVERS BUT SIG REP WILL BE MORE SPECIFIC BY 16 JUN. PRES CASE UAM FOR COMMO BACKBONE SYS SITE SURVEY AND WAS ASSURED OF EARLY ACPT.

G. 15 JUN NON- WORKDAY.

H. 16 JUN: MEETING WITH COMBAT VEHICLE PERSONNEL ON CADILLAC-GAGE ARMORED CARS. SINCE THE KUWAITI'S HAVE NOT SEEN THE ARMORED CARS AND ARE AWAITING THE DEMONSTRATION DISCUSSIONS ONLY ON THE OVM, COMMUNICATIONS AND PIONEER KITS, WE ARE CONTACTING THE C-G REP IN BEIRUT TODAY FOR STATUS VEHICLE DEMONSTRATION PROGRAM. CASE WILL DEPEND ON SUCCESS OF THIS DEMONSTRATION.

2. ON 17 JUN WE HAVE A MTG WITH DIR/ FINANCE TO REVIEW OVERALL PGM FUNDING. HOPEFULLY THIS WILL COMPL VISIT AND WILL START RETURN ON 18/19 JUN. RETURN SCHED WILL DEPEND ON OUTCOME OF 17 JUN MTG. CASE HAA WILL BE GIVEN TO KUWAIT AIR FORCE.

3. NEW ITEMS REQUESTED HAS BEEN LIMITED TO MINE DETECTION AND CLEARING DEVICES AND NEW FUEL SVC UNIT TRK. ITEM DETAILS WB WITH TEAM ON RETURN. DESCRIPTION FOR UNIDENTIFIED ENGR ITEMS ON CASE UAS, LINES 9, 15, 16, 17 HAS BEEN PROV. LINES 3 AND 4 ON UAS HAVE BEEN CANCELLED.

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